GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TOURISM
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:329
ANSWERED ON:19.02.2009
DEVELOPMENT OF TOURISM IN KARNATAKA
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Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) the total funds allocated, sanctioned and released to the Government of Karnataka under various schemes during the last three years and in the current year; and

(b) the details of the projects for which these funds have been allocated?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM AND CULTURE (SMT.AMBIKA SONI)

(a) and (b): Development and promotion of places of tourist interest is primarily the responsibility of the State Governments/Union Territory Administrations including the State of Karnataka.However,Ministry of Tourism provides Central Financial Assistance every year for the Product/Infrastructure development of tourist destinations/circuits, Large Revenue Generating projects,Fairs/festivals/events and Information Technology projects to the State Governments/ Union Territory Administrations.

Project proposals which are complete as per guidelines,are appraised on the basis of inter-se-priority and funds released, subject to availability under the respective head during the concerned year. A list of projects sanctioned for Karnataka during the last three years and current financial year is at Annexure.

ANNEXURE

STATEMENT IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.329 ANSWERED ON 19.02.2009 REGARDING DEVELOPMENT OF TOURISM IN KARNATAKA.

Projects sanctioned during 2005-06, 2006-07, 2007-08 and 2008-09
(Rs. in lakh)

Sl No.	Name of the Project	Scheme	Amount Sanctioned	Amount Released
	2005-06			
1.	Destination Development of Jog Fall in Shimoga Circuit		462.52	370.00
2.	Destination Development of Mysore in Karnataka	Destination	353.89	266.17
3.	Integrated Development of Tourism Circuit on Mangalore -Ullal-Udupi-Kollur-Honnavar-Murudeshwara-Kundapur-Gokarna Circuit		698.00	209.40
4.	Development of Golf Club at Chikmagalur, Karnataka under LRG project	Large Revenue Generating	120.00	120.00
5.	Celebration of Bangalore Habba 2005	Event	15.00	15.00
6.	Hampi Festival 2005-06	Festival	5.00	5.00
7	IT infrastructure for Eco-tourism by M/s Jungle Lodges & Resorts	Information Technology	53.29	26.64
8.	GOI-UNDP Endogenous Project at Village Anegundi,Rural District Koppal	Tourism (SW)	20.00	16.00
	Total		1727.70	1028.21
	2006-07			
1.	Integrated Development of Wilderness Tourism Circuit	Circuit	226.88	204.20
2.	Development of Muthyalamadu (Part Valley) near Bangalore	Destination	293.81	235.04
3.	Beautification of Baro Sadhanakeri Park, Dharwad City	Destination	308.22	246.57
4.	Destination development of Linganamakki Gardens at Jog Falls	Destination	494.98	396.00
	Total		1323.89	1081.81
	2007-08			
1.	Integrated Development of tourist circuit Bijapur-Bidar-Gulbarg	Circuit	640.97	512.78
2.	Development of Eco-Tourism -Setting up of Jungle Camps and Trails	Destination	322.21	257.76

3. Development of Eco Sites at Talacauvery, Gopinatham, Bhagwati and Seetanadi	Destination	380.26	304.20
4. Destination Development of Shivanasamudra- Bharachukki, Kollegal Tq. Chamrajanagar District	Destination	431.85	345.48
5. Development of Eco-Tourism Park Hanumantha Nagar, Maddur-Taluk, Mandya District	Destination	229.42	183.53
Total		2004.71	1603.75

2008-09

1. Celebration of Bangalooru Habba-2008	Event	15.00	12.00
2. Development of tourism infrastructure at Hampi World Heritage site as a mega project	Mega project	3283.58	1641.79
3. Tourist infrastructure and development works at Sangama(Mekedatu)Ramanagara District	Destination	474.63	379.32
4. Development of infrastructure facilities at Shanthisagar lake, Chennagiri Taluk Davangere District	Destination	500.00	400.00
Total:		4273.21	2433.11